

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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At its meeting held February 17, 2004, the Board took the following action:

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The following item was called up for consideration:

The Commission on HIV Health Services' recommendation to endorse the Commission's position to oppose the Governor's Proposed 2003-04 mid-year and 2004-05 enrollment cap on the AIDS Drug Assistance Program and other proposed budget actions that reduces and/or curtails services and resources impacting persons living with HIV/AIDS or at risk of HIV/AIDS; and send a letter to Governor Schwarzenegger expressing the Board's opposition to the Governor's proposed enrollment cap on the AIDS Drug Assistance Program.

Councilmember Larry Forester, City of Signal Hill, Robert Butler, Al Ballesteros, and Whitney Engeran representing the Commission on HIV Health Services, and Dean Page, Wendy Schwartz and Jay A. Shah, M.D., addressed the Board.

After discussion, on motion of Supervisor Knabe, seconded by Supervisor Burke, unanimously carried, the Commission on HIV Health Services' attached recommendations were adopted.

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Attachment

Copies distributed:
Each Supervisor
Chief Administrative Officer

County Counsel

Letter sent to:

Governor Schwarzenegger